

## House Resolution 261

By: Representatives Loudermilk of the 14<sup>th</sup>, Lewis of the 15<sup>th</sup>, and Graves of the 12<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Kenneth L. Weikum on becoming an Eagle Scout; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Kenneth L. Weikum has earned the rank of Eagle Scout, awarded during a  
3 ceremony on February 12, 2005; and
- 4 WHEREAS, since 1911, the Eagle Scout Award has been the symbol of the highest and most  
5 prestigious achievement among the Boy Scouts of America; and
- 6 WHEREAS, the attainment of Eagle Scout rank indicates that a Scout has developed  
7 leadership ability, self-confidence, mature judgment, and mental and physical capabilities  
8 that will be of immense benefit throughout life; and
- 9 WHEREAS, Kenneth L. Weikum has amply demonstrated to his Scout leaders and peers that  
10 he possesses these qualities along with sterling character; and
- 11 WHEREAS, for a Scout to reach Eagle rank, he must earn 21 merit badges, 12 of which are  
12 mandatory requirements for the Eagle Scout program; and
- 13 WHEREAS, in achieving Eagle Scout status, Kenneth L. Weikum has brought honor not  
14 only to himself but also to his family and Boy Scout Troop 15.
- 15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
16 the members of this body recognize and commend Kenneth L. Weikum for his diligence and  
17 dedication in pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and  
18 congratulate him on attaining the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.
- 19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
20 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Kenneth L. Weikum.